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C O N F I D E N T I A L MANAMA 0706

FROM QUINLAN MUSCAT

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS : MU MIL PFOR MILI

SUBJECT : EXPECTED INCREASE IRANIAN MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO OMAN

1. COMMANDING GENERAL CREASEY VISITING IRAN SEVERAL DAYS BEGINNING NOV 4 AND GAVE ME STRONG HINT HE EXPECTED DISCUS ADDITIONAL IRANIAN BATTALION FOR DHOFAR WAR. BATTALION WOULD ENABLE OMANIS CLEAR CENTRAL SECTOR AND OPEN ROAD TO INTERIOR AND EVEN BEGIN ADDITIONAL OPERATIONS EASTERN SECTOR.

2. COMMENT: CREASEY REVEALED ABOVE AFTER SPECULATING ON PROBABILITY THAT ANY ARAB SURPLUS FUNDS AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT HAVE NOW BEEN DRAINED OFF INTO ARAB-ISRAELI WAR. PRESUMABLY THIS IS FACTOR IN SULTAN'S DECISION LEAN MORE HEAVILY ON SHAH.

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